



# Notification of Hazardous Waste Site

United States  
Environmental Protection  
Agency  
Washington DC 20460

This initial notification information is required by Section 103(c) of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980 and must be mailed by June 9, 1981.

Please type or print in ink. If you need additional space, use separate sheets of paper. Indicate the letter of the item which applies.

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## A Person Required to Notify:

Enter the name and address of the person or organization required to notify.

Name AMAX Zinc Company, Inc.  
Street Route 3 and Monsanto Ave.  
City Sauget, State IL Zip Code 62202

## B Site Location:

Enter the common name (if known) and actual location of the site.

Name of Site AMAX Zinc Company, Inc.  
Street Route 3 and Monsanto Ave.  
City Sauget County St. Clair State IL Zip Code 62202

## C Person to Contact:

Enter the name, title (if applicable), and business telephone number of the person to contact regarding information submitted on this form.

Name (Last, First and Title) DeSelm, John, Environmental Engineer  
Phone 618/274-5000

## D Dates of Waste Handling:

Enter the years that you estimate waste treatment, storage, or disposal began and ended at the site.

From (Year) Unknown To (Year) 1971

## E Waste Type: Choose the option you prefer to complete

**Option 1:** Select general waste types and source categories. If you do not know the general waste types or sources, you are encouraged to describe the site in Item I—Description of Site.

### General Type of Waste:

Place an X in the appropriate boxes. The categories listed overlap. Check each applicable category.

- 1. ☐ Organics
- 2. ☒ Inorganics
- 3. ☐ Solvents
- 4. ☐ Pesticides
- 5. ☒ Heavy metals
- 6. ☐ Acids
- 7. ☐ Bases
- 8. ☐ PCBs
- 9. ☐ Mixed Municipal Waste
- 10. ☐ Unknown
- 11. ☐ Other (Specify)

### Source of Waste:

Place an X in the appropriate boxes.

- 1. ☐ Mining
- 2. ☐ Construction
- 3. ☐ Textiles
- 4. ☐ Fertilizer
- 5. ☐ Paper/Printing
- 6. ☐ Leather Tanning
- 7. ☐ Iron/Steel Foundry
- 8. ☐ Chemical, General
- 9. ☐ Plating/Polishing
- 10. ☐ Military/Ammunition
- 11. ☐ Electrical Conductors
- 12. ☐ Transformers
- 13. ☐ Utility Companies
- 14. ☐ Sanitary/Refuse
- 15. ☐ Photofinish
- 16. ☐ Lab/Hospital
- 17. ☐ Unknown
- 18. ☒ Other (Specify)

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**Option 2:** This option is available to persons familiar with the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) Section 3001 regulations (40 CFR Part 261).

### Specific Type of Waste:

EPA has assigned a four-digit number to each hazardous waste listed in the regulations under Section 3001 of RCRA. Enter the appropriate four-digit number in the boxes provided. A copy of the list of hazardous wastes and codes can be obtained by contacting the EPA Region serving the State in which the site is located.


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**F Waste Quantity:**

Place an X in the appropriate boxes to indicate the facility types found at the site.

In the "total facility waste amount" space give the estimated combined quantity (volume) of hazardous wastes at the site using cubic feet or gallons.

In the "total facility area" space, give the estimated area size which the facilities occupy using square feet or acres.

**Facility Type**

1. ☐ Piles
2. ☐ Land Treatment
3. ☐ Landfill
4. ☐ Tanks
5. ☒ Impoundment
6. ☐ Underground Injection
7. ☐ Drums, Above Ground
8. ☐ Drums, Below Ground
9. ☐ Other (Specify) \_\_\_\_\_

**Total Facility Waste Amount**

cubic feet Unknown

gallons

**Total Facility Area**

square feet

acres 35.5

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**G Known, Suspected or Likely Releases to the Environment:**

Place an X in the appropriate boxes to indicate any known, suspected, or likely releases of wastes to the environment.

☐ Known ☒ Suspected ☐ Likely ☐ None

**Note:** Items H and I are optional. Completing these items will assist EPA and State and local governments in locating and assessing hazardous waste sites. Although completing the items is not required, you are encouraged to do so.

**H Sketch Map of Site Location: (Optional)**

Sketch a map showing streets, highways, routes or other prominent landmarks near the site. Place an X on the map to indicate the site location. Draw an arrow showing the direction north. You may substitute a publishing map showing the site location.

See Attached Map

**I Description of Site: (Optional)**

Describe the history and present conditions of the site. Give directions to the site and describe any nearby wells, springs, lakes, or housing. Include such information as how waste was disposed and where the waste came from. Provide any other information or comments which may help describe the site conditions.

See Cover Letter & Attached Map

**J Signature and Title:**

The person or authorized representative (such as plant managers, superintendents, trustees or attorneys) of persons required to notify must sign the form and provide a mailing address (if different than address in item A). For other persons providing notification, the signature is optional. Check the boxes which best describe the relationship to the site of the person required to notify. If you are not required to notify check "Other".

Name R.O. Wigger, Plant Manager

Street P.O. Box 2347

City E.St. Louis State IL Zip Code 62202

Signature

R.O. Wigger

Date 5-27-81

- ☐ Owner, Present  
☐ Owner, Past  
☐ Transporter  
☒ Operator, Present  
☐ Operator, Past  
☐ Other

**AMAX**  
**ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES, INC.**  
A SUBSIDIARY OF AMAX INC.

June 29, 1981

U. S. Environmental Protection Agency  
Region V  
Site Notification  
Chicago, IL 60604

Dear Sirs:

AMAX Environmental Services, Inc. coordinated information from facilities owned or operated by AMAX Inc. to insure compliance with the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980 (Superfund). The attached letter was sent to us initially for review. We concurred with AMAX Zinc's conclusions that notification was not required under Superfund and we did not include that site in the coordinated Superfund notification which we, on behalf of AMAX Inc., sent to EPA on June 9, 1981. Although we concurred in AMAX Zinc's proposal to provide EPA Region V with certain information concerning past practices at the site, the letter was inadvertently not mailed until today.

Sincerely,

  
Louis J. Maruchean  
Environmental Attorney

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